ABSTRACT

A self-ligating orthodontic bracket having a closure system that combines a V-shaped clip system with a guiding system. The bracket includes a body which contains elements for fixing or cementing the bracket to the tooth, an arch groove in the mesial-distal direction, flanges for standard wire ligatures or elastomers, and lateral grooves forming guides on which runners can slide, the runners belonging to a closure element, which includes a cover, a closure body and lateral runners.